

For every social wrong there must be a remedy. But the remedy can be nothing less than the abolition of the wrong.—Henry George.

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The pyramids themselves dotting with age, have forgotten the names of their founders.—Thomas Fuller.

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WOMEN OF KAUALI DO THEIR 'BIT' FOR RED CROSS

That the Red Cross workers are steadily increasing the amount of surgical and hospital supplies, that money is being raised weekly, and that large shipments of goods for the trenches are being sent regularly to Honolulu, is the way Mrs. Eric Knudsen, chairman of the Kauai Red Cross chapter sums up the work on the Garden Island. Mrs. Knudsen is in the city for a short visit.

Every Tuesday, she said, the Red Cross day on the Garden Island, which is divided into two districts, one headquarters at Homestead and the other at Makaweli. Mrs. Knudsen is chairman, Mrs. William Danford, treasurer, and the following are district leaders: Mrs. T. Brandt, Waimea; Mrs. B. D. Baldwin, Makaweli; Mrs. Frank Alexander and Mrs. J. Silva, Eleale; Mrs. Glazyer, Homestead.

The Kauai chapter was formed when the war started. In October of this year, however, the Garden Island workers were organized under the American Red Cross, and made a part of the Honolulu chapter. Since September they have been sending regular shipments to the local headquarters for transshipment to New York.

Fifteen boxes of goods and 2000 articles have been sent to Honolulu during the time the Kauai chapter has been organized. Teachers and school children hold regular Red Cross days, and aid materially in the work. It is planned to set aside Thursdays for knitting day hereafter.

The Red Cross drive commences December 17, and A. L. Castle of Honolulu met the chapter leaders yesterday to help organize the work for the drive.

PLANTS ON SALE FOR BELGIAN DAY

Some of the best plants from the beautiful Moanalua gardens will be placed on sale at Lanikaia theater next Saturday for the benefit of the Belgian relief fund.

The plants that will be offered to the public will include palms, ferns, polioctidias, Australian ferns, grafted mangoes of the best kinds, very finest varieties of grafted peaches, Hawaiian palms, and a wide selection of flowering and ornamental plants. The prices placed on these will be very reasonable and they are especially suitable for Christmas gifts.

It is hoped that the sale will bring out a large number of interested people who wish to secure the very best plants and ornamental trees and, at the same time, be sure that their money will be used for one of the best objects in the world.

KANEPUU-LOTA WEDDING

Abraham K. Lota and Miss Elizabeth Lalaioha Kanepue were married yesterday evening at Kaunakapili church, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Akalo Akana. The bride-maid was Miss Elizabeth Namau and Miss Victoria Chun See was maid of honor. George Hapai was best man. The bridegroom is a stepson of Rev. James K. Lota, pastor of the Kaneohe Hawaiian church and a member of the lower house of the territorial legislature. Mrs. Lota is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kanepue of Mokuauia road, Kailua.

A Wellington, N. Z., message states that Mr. Howell, assistant secretary to the Seamen's union, has been sentenced to three months' imprisonment for inciting coastal seamen to a seafaring strike.

MAUI PREPARES XMAS TREE PLANS

(Special Star-Bulletin Correspondence) WAHUKU, Maui, Dec. 12.—Important committee work has been done on Maui during the last few days toward the securing of the unanimous support of the Wailuku people in a community Christmas tree. Those interested in the project met last Saturday morning at the Wailuku town hall, and discussed at length the possibility of holding such a Christmas celebration. The greatest unanimity prevailed and a hearty support to the project was secured from all the leaders of the churches and Sunday schools, the Alexander House Settlement.

Ensign Puck of the Salvation Army, who was the prime mover in the community Christmas idea, was elected chairman, L. R. Mathews treasurer, and Miss Gertrude B. Judd secretary of the organization.

It is estimated that fully \$200 will be needed in cash or the equivalent in donations of island made candy, apples and oranges to make the affair a success. In the public and private schools of Wailuku, Wahee and Wai-kapu the Christmas carols are already being practised to enable the children to take an active part in the singing. There will be an electric lighted tree and the presents of only those articles named in the solicitation will be given out. The literary exercises aside from the singing of the carols will be the reading of a short Christmas story by Mrs. Helen Mar Linton. The Salvation Army band, whose services will be offered for the occasion, will play.

STAR-BULLETIN TELLS WORD OF DRAFT TO MAN IN FAR-AWAY MONTANA

An example of how the Star-Bulletin carries the news, even to interior states of the mainland, 3000 miles away, came yesterday in the form of a cablegram to Capt. F. J. Green, draft executive officer for Hawaii. It read: "Received Star-Bulletin claim no exemption. Instructions solicited."

"ALLEN CLYDE SMITH, Whitehall, Montana," Mr. Smith registered in Hawaii last summer and subsequently departed to the mainland and saw his name and draft number published in the Star-Bulletin following the draft drawing recently. He is a former soldier.

OUTDOOR CIRCLE NETS \$200 FROM MUSICAL FOR CHRISTMAS TREE

About \$200 was realized from the matinee musical given yesterday afternoon by the Outdoor Circle on the roof garden of the Alexander Young hotel. The money will be used to cover the expense of lighting and other incidentals in connection with the community Christmas tree at the Capitol on Christmas Eve.

The program included two interesting dances by Miss Elmhur True, the first being reminiscent of 1830, and the second an East Indian dance. The latter was a barefoot dance and one composed of many unusual steps. Baby Fidler, daughter of a local Russian musician, sang two Russian songs and gave a Russian dance in costume. An eccentric dance was given by Ivan Bankoff, and, assisted by Miss Maynard, he gave a peasant dance. After the program refreshments were served and dancing indulged in.

As a result of majority and minority lists almost precisely balanced the executive of the Socialist Council of the Federation of the Seine is now under a committee of 24 members.

Macauley's Cartoon For Today



COMMON CAUSE—A UNITED PURPOSE—AN UNDIVIDED RESPONSIBILITY. DRAWN BY C. R. MACAULEY

U. S. LEGAL FIRM TO AID MIGHTON

Announcement that the law firm of Morris & Hartwell of La Crosse, Wis., counsel for the Universal Chiropractors' Association, will send a representative here to assist in the defense of F. C. Mighton, a local chiropractor under indictment on a charge of practicing medicine without a license, has been made by the law firm of Andrews & Pittman, Mighton's local counsel.

Mighton yesterday notified the association of his indictment, and the law firm sent a reply cablegram to the effect that one of its representatives would be sent to Honolulu at once. He will be associated with the firm of Andrews & Pittman during the trial. Arrangements will probably be made for the case to be heard in the latter part of January or early in February.

The firm of Morris & Hartwell represents those members of the chiropractors' association against whom proceedings are brought.

YOUNG HOTEL ROOF GARDEN

Have you tried lunch or dinner in the Croton Arbor on the roof?—Adv.

INFLUX TO CITY OF LABORERS IS SERIOUS PROBLEM

In an open letter to the public, W. E. Pietsch, superintendent of the Gospel Mission Home, declares that immediate steps must be taken to prevent plantation laborers and their families, especially Spanish, from coming to Honolulu with a view to leaving the territory, and eventually becoming public charges, with the girls exposed to serious moral conditions.

"This situation must be faced immediately," declares Mr. Pietsch, "or the results will be appalling in the community."
Mr. Pietsch's letter follows: "A large number of Spanish people particularly after the bonuses were paid on the plantations have come to Honolulu in the hope of leaving the territory, but the circumstances as to the steamship lines are such that the probabilities are that they will not leave for some time."

"In visiting the places in the tenements today I found a number of families spending money pretty freely, without proper care and protection. They will become public charges and the girls are exposed to serious moral conditions. I found in one case four families in three rooms, nineteen in the combination, and this was only one of many cases. A cooperation of the social workers in Honolulu is essential to get these people back to the plantations and keep them there until such time that they are assured of transportation as well as assured that they will be entered into the port of San Francisco, passing the immigration laws."

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Mr. Pietsch recently completed an investigation of the tenements in Honolulu, and declares that conditions surrounding them are little short of frightful. He believes that wiping out the tenements will be an important step toward eliminating vice from the city.

GLENN JACKSON PROMOTED AT 'Y'

At the monthly meeting of the Y. M. C. A. directors Tuesday Glenn Jackson was promoted to the position of associate secretary. Richard Whitcomb was elected physical director and Charles A. Pease gymnasium director.

The requirements for religious work in the association and in cooperation with the churches together with the large administrative duties devolving upon the executive department of the "Y" caused the directors to make these promotions and give the association a better balanced staff.

Richard A. Cooke, treasurer, presided. Others in attendance were C. H. Atherton, Richard H. Trent, Robbins B. Anderson, Dr. A. F. Jackson, Harold G. Dillingham, Charles F. Clemens, Ed. Towse, C. B. Ripley, George C. Potter, Sherwood M. Lowrey, Dr. R. D. Williams, Dr. K. Kato of the international committee, and A. E. Larimer, executive secretary.

Reports from the various departments and committees showed strong activities for November and the affairs of the association in good condition. Two hundred and thirty district students are enrolled in educational classes against 210 at the corresponding time last year. One hundred and seventy-seven are attending the various Bible study clubs and classes.

WITHINGTON ARGUES IN FAVOR OF LARGE ALLOWANCE TO BABY

For an hour and a quarter yesterday Attorney D. L. Withington presented in Circuit Judge Ashford's court special argument in favor of the approval of the recommendations of Attorney Carl Carismith, master, that the annual allowance to four-year-old Richard Smart be increased from \$200 to \$11,050.

Attorney Withington, who is counsel for Mrs. Elizabeth Knight, guardian of baby Smart, read at length from the recommendations, and gave his reasons why he thought they should be approved. He declared that, in his opinion, the amount of \$11,050 was a very moderate allowance under the circumstances, intimating that many other items, which were not included, might have been incorporated. Judge Ashford now has the matter under advisement and may give his final opinion before the end of this month.

A number of Italian members of parliament, including Senator Marconi, recently welcomed to Rome the British Mission to the Inter-Parliamentary Conference.

MRS. HOBDDY'S 'Y' TEAM TOPS LIST

The Y. W. C. A. captains reported at noon yesterday the amounts which they have secured in the "Over the Top" drive to date. The total, \$12,628, was secured by the teams captained by the following workers:

- Mrs. W. C. Hobdy \$3409.00
- Miss Alice Hopper 1776.00
- Executive committee 1350.00
- Mrs. R. G. Moore 862.00
- Miss H. Forbes 766.00
- Mrs. Charles Chillingworth 500.00
- Mrs. John Guild 337.00
- Mrs. W. J. Forbes 269.00
- Mrs. R. D. Williams 208.50
- Mrs. C. Hustace 139.00
- Mrs. E. Mackall 118.00
- Miss Ruth Anderson 92.00
- Mrs. A. W. T. Bottomley 158.50

WOMEN ON BATTLEFIELD

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MAUI RED CROSS DRIVE AIMS AT 6000 MEMBERS

(Special Star-Bulletin Correspondence) WAHUKU, Maui, Dec. 12.—The visit of A. L. Castle to Maui last week certainly brought results on the Valley Isle. In the morning the leading business men were called together to organize for the Red Cross drive which is to begin on the 15th and close at noon on December 24.

The following men were appointed to take charge of the work of Maui county: Harold W. Rice, manager and campaign director; E. R. Bevins, director for Wailuku; F. F. Baldwin, director for Puunene and vicinity; H. D. Sloggett, director for Makawao; D. C. Lindsay, secretary. The Baldwin National Bank will be headquarters for the collections. There are to be captains appointed through Maui county and these captains will in turn appoint local lieutenants, so that the whole county will be thoroughly organized. The quota needed from Maui will be a total membership of at least 6000. Mr. Rice at once began his campaign and by Sunday night notices had been read from many of the Maui churches, and during this week not a village in Maui will be missed in getting the attention of the people centered upon the fact that a drive for annual membership would be on during Christmas week. Every organization will work through its members, so that not a family on the three islands of Maui, Molokai or Lanai should be overlooked in the biggest drive for membership ever inaugurated in the County of Maui.

A local Wailuku drive for assistance in the securing of support for the local Red Cross work has also been perfected, and Mrs. Caleb Burns and Mrs. Frank L. Hoogs have been appointed to make collections during Christmas week for the local Wailuku needs of the Red Cross.

HOW TO REDUCE COST OF LIVING

When butter sells at over 50 cents a pound, flour at \$12 a barrel, and other foodstuffs in proportion, any hint to reduce the cost of living should be welcome. The great trouble is that rats and mice destroy many dollars worth of food a month. Exterminate these pests with Stearns' Paste, which has been used with great success by national and local authorities to kill rats. A small box, costing only thirty-five cents, will often rid the home or barn of a family of rats or mice in a single night.—Adv.

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Kingfisher, Okla.—"For two years I suffered with a severe female trouble, was nervous, and had backache and a pain in my side most of the time. I had dizzy spells and was often so faint I could not walk across the floor. The doctor said I would have to have an operation. A friend asked me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. After taking ten bottles I am now well and strong, have no pain, backache or dizzy spells. Every one tells me how well I look and I tell them Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did it."—Miss NINA SOUTHWICK, R. F. D. No. 4, Box 33, Kingfisher, Okla.



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